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Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
Office of Conservation
P. O. Box 94275
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

RE: Cotton Valley Davis Sand, Reservoir B
Middlefork Field
Lincoln Parish, Louisiana

APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING

Dear Sir:

KCS Resources, Inc. hereby makes application pursuant to the revised rules of procedure for a public hearing to consider evidence relating to the following matters pertaining to the Cotton Valley Davis Sand, Reservoir B, in the Middlefork Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana:

1. To authorize KCS Resources, Inc. to drill, complete and utilize its proposed Campbell 17 No. 1 Well as a unit well for CV DAVIS RB SUZ at the exceptional location shown on the attached plat;
2. To determine that there is a need for a well on CV DAVIS RB SUZ to enable the efficient and effective recovery of hydrocarbons from this unit; and
3. To consider and cover such other matters as the Commissioner of Conservation may deem appropriate and necessary under the circumstances.

The Cotton Valley Davis Sand, Reservoir B, in the Middlefork Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana, was initially defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1012-A-1, effective on and after January 11, 1978; and redefined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1012-A-30, effective on and after July 27, 1999.

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The subject matter of this application does not require the issuance of a Pre-Application Notice.

Any pertinent data relating to this matter can be obtained at the cost of the requesting party, from Mr. Kelly Byram, 400 Travis Street, Suite 1309, Shreveport, Louisiana 71101, at telephone number (218) 425-4789.

The attached list includes the names of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties known to Applicant after a diligent search and a copy of this application, with plat attached, is being sent to each such party. Pursuant to Office of Conservation regulations, such list of parties is being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation; however, the list of parties will be provided to any person requesting a copy of it. Also enclosed is the application fee.

Yours very truly,

COOK, YANCEY, KING & GALLOWAY

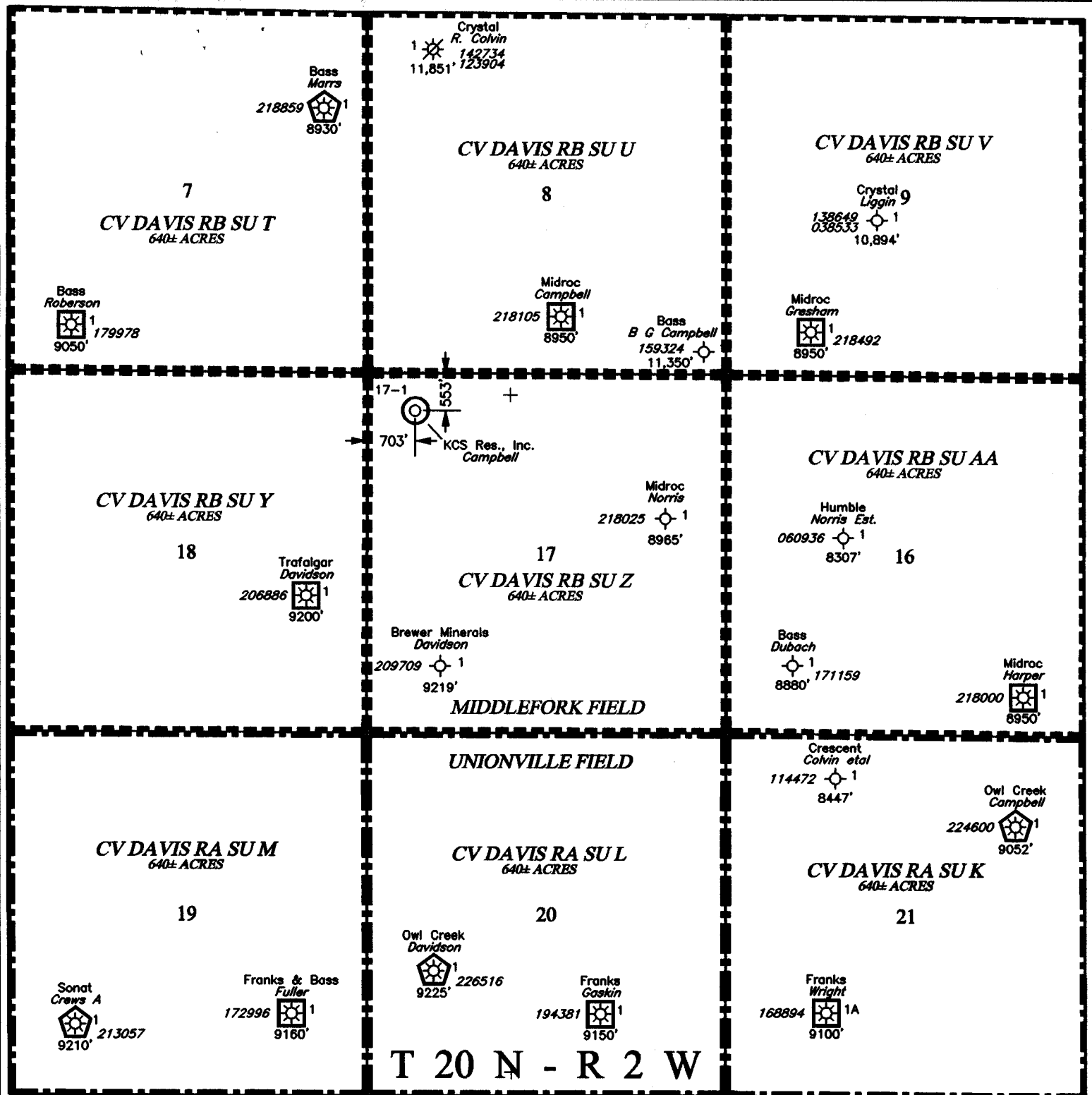


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Enclosures

cc: James C. Broussard, District Manager
Interested Owners, Represented
Parties and Interested Parties



LEGEND



: EXISTING CV DAVIS
RESERVOIR B SAND UNITS



: PROPOSED CV DAVIS RB SU Z
UNIT WELL



: CV DAVIS RESERVOIR B
UNIT WELLS



: CV DAVIS RESERVOIR B
SUBSTITUTE UNIT WELLS



: CV DAVIS RESERVOIR B
ALTERNATE UNIT WELLS

KCS RESOURCES, INC.
TULSA, OKLAHOMA

MIDDLEFORK FIELD
LINCOLN PARISH, LOUISIANA
**PROPOSED
UNIT WELL AT
EXCEPTIONAL LOCATION
FOR CV DAVIS RB SU Z**

ONLY WELLS > 8000' TD SHOWN

